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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

*In re* application of

Jeremy Stein Cohen

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Title: *System and Method for  
Analyzing Transaction Data*

Examiner: Raymond J. Bayeri

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 3, 2004**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated **May 3, 2004**, having a shortened statutory period for response that expires on August 3, 2004. A Petition for extending this period for response by three months to November 3, 2004 accompanies this response, along with a check for the appropriate extension fee. Accordingly, this Response is timely filed. The Examiner is respectfully requested to reconsider the claims in view of the following remarks.